GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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POOR QUALITY OF X-RAY IMAGE
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of X-ray tests done in various Government hospitals have been found to be of poor image quality;

(b) if so,the details thereof;

(c) whether due to poor image quality of X-ray, the patients are not properly treated;and

(d) if so,the corrective steps proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE(SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (d) Health being a state subject,information pertaining to this is not centrally maintained. However,as reported by Delhi Government X-Ray tests done in various hospitals of the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi are of good quality. But in some rare cases X-ray test may be required to be repeated due to technical reasons.

In so far as Central Government Hospitals are concerned X-Rays test done are of good quality.